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SUBJ: GDR-ECUADOR COMPENSATORY TRADE: TRACTORS FOR
BANANAS

ECUADORIAN DIPLOMAT IN RECENT CONVERSATION WITH AGATT
MENTIONED THAT HIS COUNTRY SELLS SOME 70,000 TO 80,000
M.T. OF BANANAS TO GDR PER ANNUM, WHICH HE VALUED
ROUGHLY AT \$6 - \$8 MILLION. AS PARTIAL PAYMENT FOR
THESE EXPORTS, ECUADOR HAS "COMPENSATORY" TYPE ARRANGE-
MENT WITH GDR UNDER WHICH IT IMPORTS "FORTSCHRITT"
AGRICULTURAL EQUIPMENT PRODUCED IN GDR. UNDERSTAND
THAT BULK OF THESE IMPORTS CONSIST OF SMALL TRACTORS.
WE UNDERSTAND FURTHER THAT SOME SERVICE PROBLEMS HAVE
BEEN ENCOUNTERED BUT THAT ECUADOR GENERALLY SATISFIED
WITH QUALITY OF THESE IMPORTS. BOLEN

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